

WATER PRIVILEGES AT HARPER'S FERRY.

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JOINT RESOLUTION

OF

THE LEGISLATURE OF WEST VIRGINIA,

IN FAVOR OF

*The passage of a bill to resell the water privileges at Harper's Ferry.*

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JANUARY 27, 1873.—Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered to be printed.

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Whereas at a public sale, under an act of Congress, held in the town of Harper's Ferry, county of Jefferson, West Virginia, in the latter part of November, 1869, of the water privileges at the said town, owned by the United States, the said water privileges were bid in by a Mr. T. C. Adams, giving bonds and security, at one and two years respectively, to secure payments; and whereas the said bonds having matured, and the said T. C. Adams having failed to comply with the agreement named: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the legislature of West Virginia,* 1st. That as a means of affording relief to the citizens of said town and surrounding country, as well as to advance the interest of the State, our Senators in Congress be instructed, and our Representatives be requested, to favor the passage of a bill authorizing the Secretary of War to resell the same.

2d. That a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolution be transmitted by his excellency the governor of the State to the President of the Senate of the United States, to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and to our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

Adopted January 17, 1873.

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